

CLAIMS:

I claim:

- A reversible shutter for dwellings with windows will achieve more flexibility in deciding on the best appearance for a dwelling, and in changing its appearance if necessary.
- 2. The reversible shutter for dwellings with windows will allow retailers to inventory 50% less product.
- 3. The reversible shutter for dwellings with windows will allow retailers to carry the same number of choices for customers, but with 50% less product on the shelf.
- 4. The reversible shutter for dwellings with windows will allow users to change the appearance of the dwelling at any time once the reversible shutters are installed.

 Reversing shutters after installation is necessary in cases where mold, stains, or damage has occurred to the exposed side of the reversible shutter.
- 5. The reversible shutter for dwellings with windows is made with material consisting of metal, plastic, wood, injection molded rubber, plastic, fiberglass, or graphite, or any combination of these materials.
- 6. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings with windows can be attached to dwellings with nails, screws, glue, caulk, rivets, snaps or any other patented or non-patented securing device.
- 7. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings with windows can be assembled with components parts or formed, molded, injection molded, extrusion processed, or carved as one piece.
- 8. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings with windows can be produced is common sizes as illustrated below or any custom size desired.

Widths from 6-inches to 20-inches
Lengths from 20-inches to 144-inches
Depths from 1/4 inch through to 3 inches

- 9. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings with windows can be produced with, but not limited to louvered, paneled, raised paneled, board and batten and any combination of each or various other looks on each side.
- 10. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings can be mounted to structures sided with brick, masonry block, vinyl siding, aluminum siding, stone, stucco, wood, or and manmade or natural dwelling finish.
- 11. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings can be produced in any color on either side.
- 12. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings can be finished as smooth, wood grain, textured, or a plain paint-ready surface on either side.
- 13. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings can be a product in one or more pieces, which can then be assembled either before or after retail distribution.
- 14. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings can feature a louvered side with either open slats or closed slats on either side.
- 15. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings can be vented or non-vented to allow airflow through the structure, or to allow ambient light to penetrate behind the open louver design.
- 16. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings can be made either solid or hollow depending on the manufacturing method.
- 17. The reversible shutter for dwellings or commercial buildings allows the end user to change the look from side A to side B without purchasing another set of shutters.